

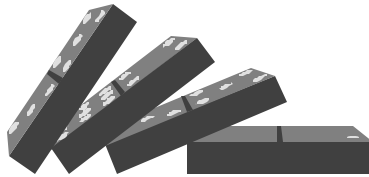
The Pipeline

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Falling on Schedule

By Lisa Aug, CFC Communications



New digs for CFC's Division of Personnel on the 4th Floor are ready ahead of schedule. Workers will build the new modular offices on Monday, July 31st, and Personnel staff will move down from the 5th Floor on Tuesday and Wednesday.

That move opens up the west end of the 5th Floor for new paint and carpet before CHS's OPS staff move from 4 up to 5.

So far, the moving/renovating dominoes in the Great CFC-CHS Floor Swap are falling on schedule. We hope relocated staff will find their new offices as comfortable and efficient as 3rd Floor staff with modular offices have assured us they are.

As the Great Floor Swap moves on, we strongly encourage everyone to keep identifying obsolete equipment and furniture for surplus *before* you relocate. Getting rid of items you find out too late that you don't need in your new office will add substantially to the time, expense and inconvenience of this move.

Please, plan now for surplus and help us make this move easier on everyone.

New Branch Manager in OPS

By Lisa Aug, CFC Communications



Please welcome Godwin Onodu, the new Asset Management Branch Manager in OPS. Godwin is a graduate of Western Kentucky University with a BS in Accounting and a Master's in Public Administration. Before starting with CFC July 17, he worked for the Kentucky Revenue Cabinet as a Property Tax Auditor and Revenue Audit Supervisor. His personal hobbies are reading, jogging and traveling.



Services That Help Families to Be Featured at Fair

By Anya Armes Weber, CFC Communications

We've told you about the main elements of CFC's state fair exhibit; now we'd like to mention the display's secondary elements.

These services are just as important as the exhibit's main elements, but they won't have the "spotlight" treatment. Signs accompanying the vignettes will give details about each program.

A section of the home will be devoted to Kentucky's Transitional Assistance Program. On an adult's desk, we'll see the efforts of a job search, a calendar with appointments for job training and interviews noted and a proudly displayed diploma.

Kentucky's Family Resource and Youth Services Centers (FRYSCs) will be represented by a puzzle. An accompanying easel will explain several of the FRYSCs' components.

A rocking chair will symbolize the protective services that the cabinet helps adults find. And a flashing stop light coin bank will remind visitors to help stop all domestic abuse.

And a cool breeze flowing from an air-conditioning vent will help guests understand that funding for home heating and cooling costs is available to some Kentuckians through the energy assistance program.

The fair begins Aug. 17 in Louisville. We'll be waiting for you at the CFC home!

July CFC Online Looks at Needs of Schoolchildren

By Margaret Davis Harney, CFC Communications

The third issue of *CFC Online*, a monthly electronic magazine for all CFC employees statewide, is now available on the Web at <http://cfc-chs.chr.state.ky.us/cfconline/july2000/index.htm>.



This issue focuses on how CFC helps meet the needs of children as they return to school, and includes articles on mentoring programs, Family Resource and Youth Services Centers (FRYSCs), and the Kentucky Children's Health Insurance Program (KCHIP).

There is also an open letter of appreciation to all CFC employees from a former foster child, information on the sick leave sharing program for staff, and much more.

If you missed the previous two issues of CFC Online, see the archives page at <http://cfc-chs.chr.state.ky.us/cfconline/index.htm>. The first issue, published in May, was an in-depth look at child abuse and neglect, and the June issue looked at foster care and adoption.

The August issue will focus on adult services, including elder abuse and spouse abuse.

Your comments and suggestions are welcome. Please e-mail them to Margaret.Harney@mail.state.ky.us.

Sick Leave Needs

Stephanie Blankenship is a new employee with Disability Determinations and is not eligible for family medical leave. Stephanie has had to have surgery due to cancer and is now having to have a complete blood transfusion. She is in need of donated sick leave. To donate leave, call Libby Rohmann at 564-8050, ext. 4218.



Chris Saxton, of the Policy and Program Support Branch is in need of sick leave donations due to his child's illness. He has exhausted all leave because of this at this. Call Melony Collins of the Policy and Program Support Branch at 564-7536 if you would like to donate.

John Downey, who works in the mailroom in the CHR Complex, is off work due to recent surgery. John's sick time has already been exhausted. He is employed by the Finance Cabinet. To donate time, call 564-3769.

Governor Patton to Speak at KECC Kickoff

By Clinton R Gill, United Way of Kentucky

The 2000 Kentucky Employees Charitable Campaign (KECC) will get off to a running start this August 9th with a kickoff celebration featuring keynote speaker Gov. Paul E. Patton. Commonwealth employees will gather from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Farnham Dudgeon Civic Center in Frankfort to eat barbecue, listen to the music of Bill Johnson and the Bluegrass Pickers, and compete for door prizes.

The KECC provides an opportunity for state government and KCTCS employees to give to the charity of their choice using payroll deduction. The KECC is endorsed by the Governor, chaired each year by a member of the Governor's Cabinet, and planned by state employees and the Personnel Cabinet. This year's Chairman is Public Protection and Regulation Cabinet Secretary Ron McCloud.

There are six approved charitable groups who take part in the campaign: United Ways in Kentucky, Community Health Charities, Christian Appalachian Project, Kentucky Easter Seals, The WHAS Crusade for Children, and Prevent Child Abuse Kentucky. These approved charities undergo rigorous scrutiny by the Personnel Cabinet and must meet stringent guidelines for accountability. More than a thousand charitable programs are represented by the approved charities. United Way of Kentucky is the KECC Administrator.

Notes for Special Friends



School Supplies Project

The Capital City Optimist Club will be conducting its annual School Supplies Project at Wal-Mart on Saturday, August 5 beginning at 9 a.m. Collected supplies are distributed to the family resource centers in both school systems.

Pipeline, a weekly newsletter for employees of the Cabinet for Families and Children, welcomes reader comments and contributions. Items for Pipeline are due by 4:30 p.m. Tuesday Call (502) 564-6180 or send information to Patricia Boler at Patricia.Boler@mail.state.ky.us